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FM AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3440

INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

AMEMBASSY TUNIS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, PDIP, LY, SU

SUBJCT: SUDANESE AMBASSADOR STILL IN TRIPOLI

REF: KHARTOUM 1940

1. DESPITE MEDIA BROADCAST JULY 4 OF RECALL OF  
SUDANESE AMBASSADOR TO LAR, AMBASSADOR EL-RASHEED  
BUSHAMA STILL IN TRIPOLI.

2. AMBASSADOR ATTENDED EMBASSY JULY 4 RECEPTION  
AND INDICATED TO EMBOFF THAT SPECULATION AND BBC  
BROADCAST TO THE CONTRARY, HE HAD NOT RECEIVED  
OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FROM HIS MFA TO DEPART TRIPOLI.  
HOWEVER, AMBASSADOR ANTICIPATED IMMEDIATE DEPARTURE  
AND EXPRESSED REGRETS AND FAREWELL TO COLLEAGUES.

3. AMBASSADOR TOLD EMBOFF THAT TWO LEADING SUDANESE  
EXILES, FORMER (PRE-69) FINANCE MINISTER SHARIF  
AL HUMDI AND ABDUL AL DAIM WERE, WITH  
LIBYAN ASSISTANCE, BEHIND KHARTOUM COUP ATTEMPT.

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COMMENT: AMBASSADOR SERVED IN TRIPOLI IN 1970 AND

1971 AND IS RUMORED TO HAVE ALSO BEEN LINKED TO PREVIOUS COUP ATTEMPT AGAINST NIMEIRE. ALLEGATION WOULD OBVIOUSLY EXPLAIN HIS REGRET DEPARTURE. LAR MEDIA GIVING STRAIGHT REPORTING OF COUP ATTEMPT QUOTING WIRE SERVICES AND HAVE GIVEN NO INDICATION OF INTENTION TO RECALL LARG AMBASSADOR IN KHARTOUM. GIVEN ALLEGED LARG INVOLVEMENT, WE DOUBT THERE WILL BE ANY COMMENTARY FROM LARG-CONTROLLED MEDIA.

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